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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This is a Response to the Office Action mailed January 18, 2007 in connection with the above-identified reissue application that is a reissue of US Patent No. 6,372,376.

Claims 1-172 are pending in this application. Claims 1-8 have been allowed and claims 9-172 have been rejected.

In view of the following remarks, the rejection of claims 9-172 is traversed, and reconsideration of this application is respectfully requested.

The Examiner has rejected claims 9-172 because they are broader than claims 1-8 of the '376 patent and that there allegedly was no intent to broaden the reissue application within two years from the patent date of April 16, 2002.

The Examiner states on page 3 of the Office Action that, "[a] claim is broadened if it is broader in any one respect even though it may be narrower in other respects,"